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Establishment data from the Current Employment Statistics program		Winchester, Va.-W.Va. MSA not seasonally adjusted data												Annual Avg
	Year	Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr	May	Jun	Jul	Aug	Sep	Oct	Nov	Dec	
<b>Total Nonfarm (000)</b>	2004	52.9	52.4	53.5	54.3	54.9	55.6	54.0	54.4	54.4	54.8	55.2	55.0	54.2
	2005	54.2	53.9	55.0	55.0	55.9	56.4	56.7	56.7	57.2	57.6			
<b>Natural Resources, Mining and Construction</b>	2004	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a
	2005	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a
<b>Manufacturing</b>	2004	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a
	2005	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a
<b>Trade, Transportation, and Utilities</b>	2004	11.6	11.3	11.5	11.7	11.8	11.9	11.8	11.9	11.7	11.6	11.7	11.8	11.6
	2005	11.6	11.5	11.7	11.8	12.0	12.0	12.3	12.1	12.2	12.4			
<b>Information</b>	2004	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a
	2005	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a
<b>Financial Activities</b>	2004	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a
	2005	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a
<b>Professional and Business Services</b>	2004	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a
	2005	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a
<b>Educational and Health Services</b>	2004	8.0	7.9	8.1	8.1	8.2	8.2	8.2	8.1	8.1	8.2	8.3	8.3	8.1
	2005	8.2	8.3	8.3	8.4	8.4	8.5	8.6	8.5	8.5	8.5			
<b>Leisure and Hospitality</b>	2004	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a
	2005	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a
<b>Other Services</b>	2004	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a
	2005	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a
<b>Government</b>	2004	6.8	6.7	6.9	7.0	7.0	7.1	6.3	6.5	6.8	7.2	7.2	7.2	6.8
	2005	7.2	7.2	7.3	7.2	7.3	7.0	6.5	6.7	7.0	7.4			
<b>Labor Force data from the Local Area Unemployment Statistics program</b>														
<b>Labor Force</b>	2004	59599	58838	59200	59722	60508	61372	61100	60303	59381	59850	60063	59902	59987
	2005	59999	59931	60740	61199	61926	62962	64140	63459	63112	63556			
<b>Employment</b>	2004	57368	56697	57154	57939	58637	59283	59044	58434	57758	58185	58343	58166	58084
	2005	58019	57956	58883	59421	60114	60975	62362	61604	61434	61996			
<b>Unemployment</b>	2004	2231	2141	2046	1783	1871	2089	2056	1869	1623	1665	1720	1736	1903
	2005	1980	1975	1857	1778	1812	1987	1778	1855	1678	1560			
<b>Unemployment Rate</b>	2004	3.7	3.6	3.5	3.0	3.1	3.4	3.4	3.1	2.7	2.8	2.9	2.9	3.2
	2005	3.3	3.3	3.1	2.9	2.9	3.2	2.8	2.9	2.7	2.5			

**Note:** Data for the most recent month are preliminary.

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Both the metropolitan area nonfarm payroll employment data and the labor force data presented in this table have been revised to reflect the introduction of newly defined metropolitan areas based on new standards and the results of Census 2000. Both the non-farm payroll employment data and the labor force data have been revised back to 1990 to reflect the changes in metropolitan area designations. Beginning with the release of data for January 2005, a redesigned method for producing labor force estimates for states and selected substate areas is being implemented.

Labor Force data from Jan. through Mar. 2005 have been corrected. n/a - not available

**The Winchester, Va.-W.Va. Metropolitan Statistical Area (MSA) includes Frederick County and Winchester city in Virginia and Hampshire County in West Virginia.**